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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.
 If Yes, brief description: _____

Claim(s) discussed: claims 33, 36, 45-50 and 52.


Identification of prior art discussed: US Pat. 5,519,422.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The prior art reference does not disclose "the corner portion of the recess portion of an ink cartridge is formed to have an acute angle". Examiner will consider if applicant cancels claims 32-33 and 36 and incorporates into independent claim 27 to overcome rejection.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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